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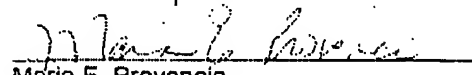
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Responsive to the Office Action dated April 19, 2006, please re-examine and reconsider the subject application based on the claim amendments and arguments set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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